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Inventor(s): Robert Van Cleve et al

Confirmation No.: 4192

Application No.: 09/966064

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Group Art Unit: 2116

Title: METHOD OF UTILIZING RESERVED ROM SPACE FOR STORAGE OF OS DRIVERS

Mail Stop *APPEAL BRIEF - PATENTS*  
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## TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE/AMENDMENT

Sir:

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- ( ) Response/Amendment ( ) Petition to extend time to respond  
( ) New fee as calculated below ( ) Supplemental Declaration  
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(X) Other: \_\_\_\_\_

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TOTAL CLAIMS		MINUS		= 0	X \$50	\$ 0
INDEP. CLAIMS		MINUS		= 0	X \$200	\$ 0
[ ] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+ \$360	\$ 0
EXTENSION FEE	1ST MONTH \$120.00	2ND MONTH \$450.00	3RD MONTH \$1020.00	4TH MONTH \$1590.00		\$ 0
OTHER FEES						\$
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$ 0

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Respectfully submitted,

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	System Drivers	§		

**Mail Stop Appeal Brief – Patents**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 19, 2006, a compliant Appeal Brief was filed at the PTO on July 05, 2006 following receipt of the "Order Returning an Undocketed Appeal to the Examiner".

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